### **NEWS GATHERED** FROM SOUTHSIDE

Funeral of 'Squire Robert Criddle From the Home To-day.

#### FREIGHT CAR BROKEN OPEN

Lot of Shoes Stolen and Others Left Behind-Sample Agent Reported.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1112 Hull Street. The death of 'Squire Robert Criddle brought regret to many people in Man-chester, Swansboro and clsewhere. He dled suddenly at his home Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock from apoplexy. The funeral will be from the home at 2 o'clock

county about sixty-six years age. He afterwards lived in Albemarie county, where he organized and built Cedar Grove

He came to Swansboro seven years ago and was three times elected justice of
the peace. He was for a long time colporter for the Middle District Baptist
Association. He is survived by six chitdren: R. E., B. W., C. A. Criddle, Mrs.
Chapman Page, of Staunton; Mrs. Besjamin Tryall, of Charlottesville, and Mrs.
W. S. Rowlett, of Swansboro. He also
leaves a brother, James, of Albemarie,
and a sister, Miss Julia Criddle, of Swansboro.

Ergight: Car. Robbed

#### Freight Car Robbed.

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Barly yesterday morning Policeman Waymack learned that a Bouthern freight car had been broken into in the southern section of the city, and later he found a shoe box half full of shoes lying near the tracks. A lot of shoes had been taken. The box was from Roberts and Hoge, of Richmond, and was consigned to B. J. Agee, Cumberland Courthouse. The box was taken to the station house and the officers are now looking for the thief.

Common Council.

Common Council.

Council will meet in regular session on Friday night. A number of important measures will come up for consideration. The ordinance fixing the hours of closing bar-rooms at 12 o'clock and opening at 5, will probably pass. The barkeepers are satisfied with this ordinance. There will probably be some action taken in reference to inducing the Wingo, Ellett. and Crump Shoe Company to creet their new warchouse in this city. The Cemetory Committee will meet at 7 octock this evening.

#### Distributed Samples.

representative of the American Snuff Company was reported yesterday for dis-tributing samples in the city, contrary to the ordinance. The case went over until to-morrow so that his counsel can be present.

#### FEW CHANGES.

#### North Carolina Conference Meets Next Year in Wilson.

Next Year in Wilson.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

HENDERSON, N. C., Dec. 5.—The
North Carolina Conference closed it's
labors here this evening at half past six
when appointments were announced by
Bishop W. A. Candler, the chances in
lastors being fewer than usual. Rev. F.
D. Swindell goes to Wilson; A. P. Tyer to
Elizabeth City and D. H. Tuttle to Fayetteville; W. L. Cunningham to Goldstoro, and T. A. Smoot to Main Street.
Durham.
The conference will be held in Wilson,
though Newborn also asked to entertain
same.

same.

'there was an animated discussion during the closing hours of conference, when the Board of Education made its report recommending an assessment of \$2,000 for Greensboro Female College, but the report was finally adopted without documents. documents.

Bishop Candler left on midnight train
to preside over the Florida conference.

### To Kill the Germs.

A resolution coming from the Board ap-propriating \$3,000 to establish and main-tain a laboratory for the purpose of test-ing James River wafer, and experiment-ing, with a view of securing the best re-sults, was adopted.

Hard on Bull Dogs.

If the Board of Aldermen sustains the action of the Common Council last night, owners of bull dogs will have to muzzle or chain their pets, upon penalty of a fino in the Police Court. Such an ordinance was passed by Council last night.

# INHERITED SCROFULA

When a child I had a very severe attack of Diphtheria, which came near proving fatal. Upon recovery the glands of the neck were very much enlarged, and after the free use of iodine, the right one was reduced to its normal size, but the left one continued to grow-very slowly at first, until it was about the size of a goose egg, which began to press on the wind-pipe, causing difficult breathing, and became very painful. An incision was made and a large quantity of pus discharged. The gland was removed, or as much as could with safety be taken out. For ten years I wore a little piece of cloth about an inch long in my neck to keep the place open. During this time I had to have it cut open by the doctor every time I took cold or the opening clogged. In the Spring or early Summer of 1884 I was persuaded by my wife to use S. S. S., which I did, strictly in accordance with directions. I took twenty-six large bottles, and was entirely cured, for I have not suffered since that time.

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will advise you free

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Fresh Bologna Sausage, peund..... Corned or Fresh Hams, pound..... Canned Corn, 4 for....... Duffy's Mait. Whiskey, per bottle...

#### S. ULLMAN'S SON.

In-Street Stores, 1820-1822 East Main Street; Marshall-Street Store, 506 E.

### MAYOR'S SALARY IS AGAIN DISCUSSED

Was Sent Back to the Committee When Favorable Vote Fell Short.

was brought up again last night at the meeting of the Common Council.

meeting of the Common Council. A recommendation from the Ordinance Committee (thing the salary at \$3,600 was the bone of contention, when the ball was started rolling.

Mr. Bottom and Mr. Pollock advocated the recommendation of the committee, but Mr. Lynch couldn't see it that way, and wanted the salary to be placed at \$3,000. He, therefore, amended the ordinance coming from the committee, but he lost on the vote of 22 to 8. Then the motion made by Mr. Bottom, that the recommendation of the committee, which was an amendment of the original resolution sent them, be adopted. This was done by the vote of 22 to 7, Mr. Stein side-stepping for a moment and getting in with the majority. On the motion to about the endinance, however, there was not a sufficient number to carry, and Mr. Bottom changed his vote so as to move to reconsider. The resolution was then sent back, to the committee.

In speaking of the question, Mr. Pollock referred to the many duties placed upon the Mayor by the laws and showed that he had the management of the sinking fund, direction of the Boara of Health, the police department, the inspection of public bylidings and various oner duties. Ha showed there was hardly an end to the duties and responsibilities of the Mayor.

#### MUST HAVE PERMIT.

#### Board of Fire Commissioners Will Enforce Ordinance.

The Board of Fire Commissioners met last night with every member present; President John H. Frischkorn in the chair &

chair. It was ordered that an advertisement be printed in the daily papers, carling the attention to all owners of public halls, theatres, churches, hotels and all public and semi-public buildings to the city public and semi-public buildings to the city ordance requiring them to obtain per-mits from the Board of Fire Commis-sioners to open their buildings to the pub-lic. This law was approved March 18, 1904, and the sixth section reads as fol-

"No person shall be allowed to open for public or semi-public use any building until a permit shall have first been obtained from the Board of Fire Commissioners, which shall set forth that the terms of this ordinance have been complied with, and that the building is properly equipped with reasonable and necessary means of escapa in case of fire or accident."

After proper notice has been given the public this law will be enforced to the fullest extent and no building without one of these permits, which are issued on application, without cost, provided the building has passed inspection by the board, will be allowed to open to the "No person shall be allowed to open

will be allowed to open to the

The board decided to recommend to the Council that a new engine company, to be known as Engine Company No. 10, he established and installed in the new be established and installed in the new department house just about completed on the south side of Broad Street, just west of the college, and will ask the Council for the necessary amount for the purchase of apparatus, horses and other fittings, and for the pay of a sufficient number of men to properly man the company.

#### PROSPEROUS SCHOOL.

### Pine Street Baptist Sunday

School Is Growing Rapidly.

At the meeting of Pine Street Bajtist Church on Sunday afternoon, the report for the year was read and officers elected. The following were chosen: Superintendent, D. W. Sins: Assistants, Davis Bottoms, D. M. Goode: Asistant Sceretaries, C. P. Hill, S. B. Bluut; Treasurer J. W. R. Johnson; Organist, Gertie Galbraith; Assistants, Ethol Bradshaw, Gracio Cousins, Willie Farmer; Chorister, L. C. Minor; Assistants, H. W. Farmer, J. R. Hooper; Librarian, A. L. Barfoot; Collectors, Patrick Davis, W. Hall.

Mr. A. R. Buford, the rotiring superintendent, served most faithfully for nine years, and was not re-elected at his urgent request. Mr. Horace Burnet, the secretary, declined re-election and the office was not filled at the time.

The report shows the following: Officers on roll, 18; teachers, 49; scholars, 1,034; cellections for all purposes, \$62.26; new scholars, 252; old scholars returned, 105; conversions, 77; haptisms, 87; dropped during year, 257; total attendance during the year, 34,785; visitors 257; total contributions for objects outside school, \$3,881.40.

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## LEFT ON PORCH

Richmond Suspected of a Con-/ tribution to Petersburg.

### BRIDGE NAMED FOR BISHOP

A Legislative, But Not a Financial, Quorum in the Councils Methodist Ministers Meet.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETTERSBURG, VA., Dec. 6.—Richmond is not accused but is strongly suspected of contributing an unknown baby girl to the Petersburg population, as an attractive young lady, about two months old, was found early yesterday morning on the porch of Mr. W. G. Owens's home, enclosed in a telescope vallee of Richmond manufacture, and provided with a

on the porch of Mr. W. G. Owens's home, enclosed in a telescope valise of Richmond manufacture, and provided with a full supply of Times-Dispach and News Leader dress patterns.

Mr. Owens's home is near the Beaboard Air Line station, and it is thought that the unique present was left by some unknown person who came in on a Seaboard Air Line train late Saturday night. The child had evidently been dosed with some mild opiate to prevent any yelling, but ample provision had been made for its comfort in such a transport. Abundant clothing of fine material was provided, a supply of medicine sad other necessaries, to say nothing of the newspaper dress patterns. Mr. and Mrs. Owens have kindly entertained the young visitor, but other invitations will not be unwelcome.

There was no quorum at a joint meeting of the Board of Aldermen and Council this afternoon, so the election of a member of the school board to succeed Mr. Jenkins, were postponed.

A legislative but not a financial quorum attended the regular meeting of the Council, fourteen of twenty-four members being present. The street improvement issue was not brought up.

cil, fourteen of twenty and the circumstance of the circumstance o

#### Personals and Briefs.

Mr. T. D. Houston, chief engineer of the Tidowater Railway Surveying Com-pany, is in the city. Mrs. J. J. Sinnott, of Washington, D. C., is at No. 1011 East Clay Street

## QUALITY

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### Christmas

### Presents

should be bought early, while the stock is large, to insure a better selection. If you buy now, we will put them away to be deliv-ered when you want them. Here are a few suggestions:

### **Morris Chairs**

Cushions. . Some have the foot-rest attached.

### **Smoking Sets**

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### \$2.95

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SMITH & TALMAN, MASONIC TEMPLE.

### S100 REWARD.

REWARD OFFERED-BLACKSTONE.
VA., Dec. 5.—On last Saturday night the
firm of Stokes, Williams & Company, of
Blackstone, Va., was robbed. There were
ten double-barroled breech-logding guns,
and nine pistois, and fifteen pocket knives
stolen. I will pay \$100 reward for the
capture and conviction of the party.
GEORGE P. ADAMS, Mayor.
Blackstone, Va.

### Extraordinary Quality Suits and Overcoats at

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## AT THE CITY JAIL

Mayor McCarthy Makes Urgent Recommendation to City Council.

### MUST HAVE MORE CELLS

Jail Commissioners Want All Available Space Cut Up to Meet Demands.

Mayor McCarthy has taken active ster oward enforcing the completion of the city jail, by the installation of complete nospital apparatus, conveniences and ser calls in the space already provided for

When the jail was built, hospital space was provided, and room was included for more cells. This space is now needed, and from the tone of reports from the lall surgeon, the jail commissioners, the

in a sign the tone of reports from the judge of the Hustings Court and the Mayor, the time has come for the additional appropriation to be made.

The Mayor's message to Council states that "the improvements are absolutely necessary, and should be made at ones." It also suggests "that complications resulting from the arrest of persons charged with felonies, who must have immediate surgical and medical attention, embarrass the police force and necessitate the employment of patrolmen as guards at the City Hospital and other places, and so liminish the number of officers doing atrol duty."

### More Cell Room.

The jail commissioners, including Messrs. Sam Cohen, John M. Higgins and Dr. Roy, report that the jail is badly in need surgical treatment, should be at once overcrowding of the present jail is worse than before. That desperate characters than before. That desperate characters are frequently put in cells with boys, and that the hospital rooms are frequently filled with prisoners. That the arrangements for care of lunatics is not as good now as in the old building. That the medical and surgical part of the jall is in a most crude state.

Dr. W. S. Gordon suggests that more facilities be given him in the hospital department.

department.

In Judge Witt's report, he says: "It will be seen that the city has not compiled with the law in furnishing a proper fail. Unless immediate steps be taken, the court will be compelled to institute such proceedings as will be proper to enforce the requirements of the law."

The matter was referred to the Finance Committee.

#### O'BRIEN WILL FORCE RYAN TO FIGHT HIM

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PHILADELPHIA, December 5.—Philadelphia PHILADELPHIA, December 5.—Philadelphia Jack O'Brien is determined to force a settlement as to whether he or Tommy Ryan is the world's champion middleweight. He has already begun negotiations with a San Francisco boxing promoter, and after filling a few engagements in the East will make a flying trip to the West, with a view to forcing Ryan to meet him.

O'Brien will make Ryan one of the most remarkable offers in the history of pugilism. The Philadelphian will deposit with a Chicago or San Francisco newspaper \$5,000 in cash, which he will give to Ryan as a present to enter the ring.

'I am sure that I can defeat him, 80 sure, in fact, that I will make almost any sucrification get him into the ring with me. I want to be the belder of the world's championship or lose whatever claim' I have to fight for the

or loss whitever than I was to have the question settled, and I will do my best to force flyan into a match. We should draw \$20,000 in San Francisco, where we may fight twenty rounds. I am sure I can defeat him in that limit."

### Racing at New Orleans.

Racing at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS. December 5.—Ogontz, Kleinwood and Merry A., bat were the beaten favorites to-day. Summaries:

Pirst race—seven furlongs—Catasine (2 to 1) first. Birchrod (36 to 1) second, Ogonz (9 to 5) third. Time, 1:41.

Second race—seven furlongs—Lady Freeknikht (33 to 1) first, Lord of the Valley (10 to 5) second, Extol (9 to 2) third. Time, 1:37 1-4.

Third race—one nille—Judge Himes (7 to 5) third. Time, 1:56 1-5 (10 trst.) Mauser (100 to 1) second, Ahola (4 to 2) first. Mauser (10 to 1) second, Jade (7 to 2) third. Time, 1:56 1-5 (10 trst.) Mind (10 to 2) first. Mindie (10 to 2) second, Jade (7 to 2) third.

Pirth race—will and a sixteenth—Joe Lesser (10 to 1) third. Time, 1:511-5.

Sixth race—six furlongs—Sigmund (4 to 1) first. Merry Acrobat (12 to 5) second, Glendin (15 to 1) third. Time, 1:21-5.

#### OFFICIAL BATTING AVERAGES OF AMERICAN LEAGUE

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, December 5.-The official batting averages of the American League for the season of 1994, shows the following for the ten highest players: Lajdec (Leveland, 388; Kaeler, New York, 343; Davis, Philadelphia, 308; Holmes, Chicago, 308; Hoffman, hiladelphia, 305; Mullen, Deirott, 376, Pilck, Cieveland, 398; Bradley, Cleveland, 297, In club batting average, Cleveland comes first, 1933; New York second, 1988.

Society of Cincinnati. The Society of Cincinnati, which will meet in Richmond next May, upon motion of Mr. Pollock, in Council last night, was invited to meet in the Council chamber on May 10th, 11th and 12th,

### AUCTION SALES, Future Days AUCTION SALES—This Day,

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NOTICE.

TAX NOTICE!

Office Collector of City Taxes.
Room 7. First Floor, City Hall.
Richmond, Va. Dec. 1. 1904.
NOTIOE TO TAX-FAYERS—THE
AST HALF OF CITY TAXES, REAL
STATE AND PERSONAL. FOR 1994
S NOW DUE AND FAYABLE AT THIS

erest at SIX PER CENT. Also at es to all bills as soon as reported de

the penalty. FRANK W. CUNNINGHAM, Collector of City Taxes.

linquent.

Particular attention is called to the above, as under an ordinance passed by the City Council there can be no avoidance of the penalty.

AMUSEMENTS.

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B BRIGHTEST AND BEST,

TERMS: At sale.

A UCTION SALE OF DESIRABLE VA-CANT LOT ON WEST GRACE STREET, DETWEEN SHAFER AND HARRISON STREETS.

FRAME DWELLING NO. 1419 TAYLOR BETWEEN RANDOLPH AND LADY STREETS.

In execution of a decree of the Circuit Court of Henrico, entered November 19 1904, in suit of Willie Brown vs. Arnoid als., I will sell by auction, on the prem-At the request of the owner, we will offer at public auction, on the premises,

By Pollard & Bagby, Real Estate Auctioneers

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1904, at 4 o'clock P. M., that desirable lot on the south side of Graco Street, just east of Harrison Street, fronting on Grace Street twenty-five feet and running back full depth to the alley.

This is the only West Grace Street lot east of Harrison Street now for sale; should recommend itself to all those desiring to build in this splendid location. als. I will sell by auction, on the premises, on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1904, at 4.30 P. M. Lot 30x125 3-4 feet. TERMS—One-third cash, residue at 0, 12 and 18 months, credit payments to be evidenced by notes, interest added; or all

By A. J. Chewning Co., Real Estate Auctioneers.

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been Instructed to soil the four-room
Frame Dwelling.
NO.460 WEST LEIGH STREET,
together with the lot of 16 feet, more of
less, with a depth of 65 feet, at public
audion, on the premises, on
WEIDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1904,
at 4 o'clock P. M.
Being a first-class renter and in a destrable neighborhood, this property will
pay a splendid interest on a small investment of money. Don't fail to attend.
TERMS—Liberal, and announced at sale. NO. 207 COLLEGE STREET.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust, dated August 7, 1963, of record in the clerk's office of Richmond Chancery Court, in D. B. 178 B, page 824, default having been made in the payment of the debt thereby secured, and being required by the beneficiary so to do, we will sell by, auction, upon the premises, on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6TH, at 4:30 o'clock P, M., the property numbered as above, which consists of a large detached brick dwelling and other improvements, fronting 28 feet on the east side of College Street by a depth of 134 feet to Lafayette Avenue. This property is in good condition and a ready ranter, thus an opportunity is hereby offered both investors and speculators.

TERMS—Cash.

A. J. CHEWNING,
F. SITTERDDING.

While the deed requires cash, yet in order to accommodate those of small means for any purchaser not having all eash.

A. J. CHEWNING CO,
Auctioneers.

By Augustine Royall & Company, Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, No. 27 Hull Street, Manchester, Va.

T RUSTEES SALE OF A NICE FRAME DWELLING, ON WEST SIDE OF TW BLFTH STREET, BETWEEN STOCKTON AND EVERETT STREETS, IN THE CITY OF MANCHESTER, VA.

By virtue of a deed of trust, dated October 21, 1901, and recorded in the Corporation Court, clerk's office for said city, D. B. 22, page 248, we will sell at auction (being required so to do by the beneficiary), on the day, hour and place named above, that desirable house and bt No. 215 Twelfth Street, fronting Twenty-tree (23) feet by one hundred and twenty-two (122) feet deep to an alley. This nike dwelling should attract attention.

tion.
TERMS: Cash as to expense of sale (taxes, if any be due) and to pay off a note secured in sald deed, \$500, with interest on same from October 21, 1994, until paid; balance upon terms at sale.
AUGUSTINE ROYALL,
DAVID L. PULLIAM,
Trustoes.

### By Richmond Auction Co., 1206 E. Main St. Special Auction Sale

OFFICE.

EVERY male 21 years of age, and EVERY person keeping house or doing business in the city is assessed for personal taxes. Those who have not paid any city taxes during the year will please call and settle, so as to avoid being posted as delinquents.

GRADING, PAVING, PIPE AND SEWER CONNECTION BILLS are also due, and will have to be declared delinquent if not paid on or before end of year.

FIVE PIER CENT. will be added to last half if not paid on or before DECEMBER SIST. ER AND MANTEL MIRRORS, MA-HOGANY FURNITURE, ETC., / TO-DAY.

We will sell TO-DAY (Tuesday), DE-EMBER 6, 1904, ab our warerooms, No-205 East Main Street, 9 handsome Gold-caf Frame Genuine Silver Back Piet filror, 2 beautiful Mantel Micrors with lold Leaf Frames and Silver Backs 4 Ma-Mirror. 2 beautiful Mantel Mirrors with Gold Leaf Frames and Silver Backs 4 Malogany Chest of Drawers. 1 Mahoguny Secretary, Malogany Table, Sofas, Chairs, etc. 1 handsome Walnut Hand-Carved Parlor Suit of seven pleces, and a general line of Household Furniture, such as: Brass and Iron Beds. Folding Bed. Parlor Center Tables, Rockers, Rugsy Druggels, Carpets, Matting, French Plate Mantel Mirrors, Pictures, etc.
The ladies are especially-invited to attend this sule.

RICHMOND AUCTION CO.
Geo. H. Valentine, Auctioneer.

### **AUCTION SALE**

OF SHOES, HOSIERY, TABLE LINEN, TOWELS, ETC., TO-DAY,

We will sell for a transportation company, at our warerooms, No. 1205 East Main Street, commending at 11:30, a nice line of Men and Women's Shoes, 75 dozen Hoslery, Rifles, Crockery, nice line of Tablocloths, Napkins, Linen Towels, Begspreads, Fanoy Table Covers, 5 gallofs Wood Alcohol, etc. RICHMOND AUCTION CO.

Geo. H. Valentine, Auctioneer. By Geo. V. Oliver, Auctioneer

AT 10:30 A. M., AT MY WAREROOMS,

Auction Sale This Day,

### 414 WEST BROAD STREET.

Handsome Oak Chamber Suit with large French Plate Mirror, several other Suits, Wardrobes, Oak and Walnut Sideboards, Wardrobes, Oak and Walnut Sideboards, Extension Tables, Cane and Wood Seat Chaire, Cobble Seat and Fanoy Rockers, Quartered Oak Frame Bed Lounges, Couches, Hall Racks, Odd Bedsteads, Bureaus, Washstands Tables, Carpets, Rugs, Pictures, Mirrors, Drop-Head Sewing Machines, large lot Glassware. Crockery, Lamps, Tollet, Sets, 5 good Cooking and Heating Stoves, etc.; also a lot of other goods too numerous to mention.

Ladles invited.

GEO, V. OLIVER, Auctioneer.

### AUCTION SALES, Future Days

J. D. Carneal & Son, Real Estate Auctioneers, No. 1106 E. Main Street.

TRUSTEE'S AUCTION SALE

A GOOD AND WELL BUILT.
DETACHED SIX-ROOM DWELLING.
NO. 321 N. THIRTY-SIXTH STREET.

NO. 221 N. THIRTY-SIXTH STREET.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust, dated May 6. 1901, and duly recorded in the Henrico County Court civrk's office. In Deed Book 181 A. page, 28. default having been made in a portion of the debt secured thereby, and having been required by the beneficiary so to do. I will on WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1904, at 4 o'clock P. M., on the premises, offer for sale at public auction, the property conveyed therein, viz.

All that certain lot of land, with all the improvements thereon, lying and being in the country of Henrico, Va., beginning at the point on the eastern line of Thirty-sixth Street, 22 feet south of Marshall Street, there running southwardly along and fronting on the said eastern line of Thirty-sixth, Street 25 feet and 3 inches, and extending back castwardly from said front between parallel lines 110 feet to an alley in common of feet wide. This property is in an advancing locality, has a god home.

TERMS—Whereas the dead requires all

ways rented well, home.

TERMS—Whereas the deed requires all cash, yet with a small cash payment long cash, yet with a small cash payment long time can be had on the balance, which will be announced at sale.

J. T. CARNEAL, Trustee.

Third Presbyterian Church OYSTER SUPPER

in the lecture room of the church Thursday night of this week. December 8th, They will also have a sale of Fancy Articles and Christians Dolls Thursday and Friday nights. There will be many attractive features—the Country Store, where everything necessary for the helf-days can be purchused. The Ladles Home Journal Art Booth will be exhibited for the first time in this city. Subscriptions to the Journal and Saturday Dvening Post will be taken, and Taylor's, Hut's and Christy's beautiful Art Pictures sold from the booth.

### The Value of a Signet Ring

is very much enhanced by the character of the engraving. If the work is done by unskilled people it is dollars to doughnuts that the article is ruined.

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J. J. Allen & Company.

Jewellers, 14th and Main Streets.

### Explosions. (By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, December 5.—Ten persons

MANY PEOPLE HURT

NEW YORK, December 5.—Ten persons were injured and a quarter of a million dollars' worth of property was destroyed, as the result of explosions caused by a spark leaping from a machine, in which a chaffeur was working in an automobile garage on West Thirtleth Street.

Forty automobiles were destroyed or badly damaged and so rapid was the progress of the fire that men working in the second story of the building had no opportunity to escape by way of the stairways and were forced to leap from the windows.

Spark Leaps From Machine Into

Gasoline Tank and Causes

AUTOS WRECKED AND

The spark, which started the fire, com-The spark, which started the fire, communicated with a tank, holding 100 gallons of gasoline. There were forty-five automobiles in the building, but the dense smoke prevented the rescue of a majority of them.

The 100-gallon tank exploded soon after the fire started and spread the flames to other tanks, and in a short time there were ten distinct explosions, filling the

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